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Seems as if all the things we like disagree with us, and all the things we don't like agree with us. Dyspepsia lurks in most of the good things we eat, and indigestion follows the gratification of appetite. Of course it isn't Nature's fault. Nature does the best she can, and if a man will only help her a little bit at the right time, he may eat what he likes and as much as he likes. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are for people who are troubled with indigestion. Particularly for those in whom it manifests itself in the form of constipation. The "Pellets" are quick and easy in their action. They are in perfect harmony with nature. They effect a permanent cure. You need take them regularly only a little while. After that, use them occasionally when you need them—when you have eaten anything that disagrees with you. They may be taken just as freely as you would take water or any other necessity of life. Once used they are always in favor.

PUBLIC SPEAKING.

APPOINTMENTS FOR REPUBLICAN MEETINGS.



[County Chairmen and others are respectfully requested to send lists of appointments for Public Speaking throughout this section, for publication in this column.—ED. LEDGER.]

The gentlemen named below will speak at the places and dates given:

HON. STEPHEN A. DOUGLAS.
Mayville—Saturday, September 26th, at 7:30 p.m.

THOMAS A. DAVIS.
Murphysville—Saturday afternoon, September 26th.
Sardinia—Saturday, October 3d, at 7:30 p.m.

HON. JOHN W. YERKES.
Carlisle—Wednesday, October 7th.
Flemingsburg—Thursday, October 8th.
Mayville—Friday, October 9th.

JUDGE W. H. HOLT.
Germanstown—Friday, October 9th.
Brown County (O.) Fairgrounds, Aberdeen—Thursday, October 10th.

HON. J. J. PUGH.
[In joint debate with Hon. W. LaRue Thomas, his Congressional opponent.]
Flemingsburg—Monday, September 26th.
Morehead—Monday, October 5th.
Orleansville—Tuesday, October 6th.
Brookville—Monday, October 12th.
Augusta—Tuesday, October 13th.
Mayville—Wednesday, October 14th.
Mt. Olivet—Thursday, October 15th.
Cattlettsburg—Monday, October 19th.

GENERAL W. S. TAYLOR.
Mayville—Thursday, October 1st.
Vanderburg—Friday, October 2d.
Greensburg—Saturday, October 3d.
Flemingsburg—Monday, October 5th.
Aynsboro—Monday, October 5th.
Protonsburg—Tuesday, October 6th.
East Point—Tuesday, October 6th.
Flemingsburg—Wednesday, October 7th.
Mt. Vernon—Wednesday, October 7th.
Mayville—Thursday, October 8th.
Bloomington—Thursday, October 8th.
West Liberty—Friday, October 9th.
Mound—Saturday, October 10th.

The Republicans of Murphysville will meet at this place on Saturday afternoon, September 26th, at 2 o'clock, to organize a McKinley and Pugh Club. Hon. O. S. Deming of Robertson and Judge A. A. Wadsworth and Mr. Thomas A. Davis of this city will be among the speakers.

KENTUCKY NEWS.

The Latest News From All Parts of the Commonwealth.

WOMEN FIGHT.

Clubs and Stones Used by Three in Their Assault on Two Others.

ASHLAND, Ky., Sept. 26.—Friday night as Mrs. Jeff Adkins and Miss Maggie Burley, of Denton, Ky., were passing through the city on their way to visit friends below here, they were attacked by Mrs. Nelson Stewart and daughter Alice and Mrs. Rose Dixon, and beaten up in a terrible manner with clubs and rocks. Mrs. Adkins is the wife of Jeff Adkins, who is now in jail at Grayson, Ky., charged with the murder of Raymond Fletcher, and at the preliminary trial of her husband, testified, together with Miss Burley, that the murder had been committed by Nelson Fletcher. In consequence Fletcher was arrested twice, being discharged both times. Mrs. Dixon, who assisted the Stewart women in the affray, is a daughter of the murdered man. The Burley girl is seriously hurt, and both women were nearly disrobed when rescued. Their assailants are in jail and will be given a hearing Saturday morning.

REUNION OF VETERANS.

G. A. R. Members Enjoy a Real Camp Fire at Hammock, Ky.

LANCASTER, Ky., Sept. 26.—At Hammock, this county, about fifteen hundred people attended the G. A. R. reunion Friday. Several prominent men spoke, among whom were Capt. William Herndon and Louis Walker, of this city; W. C. Montgomery, of this county; Hon. John Russell, of Greensburg; and Hon. J. F. O'Hair, of Lincoln county. All were reunion speeches and anecdotes. A brass band was in attendance, and the air was filled with music during the entire day. The G. A. R. veterans will celebrate at this place annually in the future during the month of September. They camped there Friday night and had more speeches Saturday.

NEW DECISION.

On the Coach Law of Kentucky—Railway Not Responsible for a Leased Train.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Sept. 26.—The court of appeals Friday morning reversed the judgment of the Taylor county circuit court in the case of the L. & N. Railroad vs. the Commonwealth. The railroad was indicted for failure to provide separate coaches for colored people and was fined \$500.

The court holds that in the present case the railroad had leased its cars to other parties, and did not have charge of the train.

It was a special train, and action should lie against the parties leasing it, and not against the railroad company.

POSTPONED.

The Hanging of Lafayette Brooks, at West Liberty, Ky.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 26.—Lafayette Brooks, convicted of the murder of Gus McKenzie, in Morgan county, and sentenced to be hanged Friday at West Liberty, is still in the land of the living. He was placed in the jail in this city some time ago, and it was expected the sheriff of Morgan county would call and get him on time. Petitions for commutations of the sentence were sent to Gov. Bradley, but he declined to interfere. His case is pending before the court of appeals at Frankfort.

Jumped From a Medical College Window.
LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 26.—Katie Collins, a domestic, went to the Louisville Medical college Friday, and found her way to the dissecting room. She attempted to strike the medical students with a flatiron. Finally they left the room and sent for an ambulance. When they returned to the room it was empty. Looking to the pavement below they saw the lifeless body on the sidewalk. The young woman had jumped from the window. She is thought to have been demented.

Hidden Silver Unearthed.
PINEVILLE, Ky., Sept. 26.—John Farmer, who lives on Redbud creek, in this county, while sinking a well in his yard, dug up a tin trunk which contained \$350 in silver. It is believed that it was buried there by Capt. Jas. Farmer during the civil war. Farmer was quite a wealthy man and, there being no banks in this section of the country at that time, he kept money stored away in small safes.

Returned to Prison.

HARLAN, Ky., Sept. 26.—F. S. Hensley, jailer of Harlan county, together with his deputy, Burton Hensley, returned and lodged in jail here one Wm. Short, who escaped jail here in 1899. Short is charged with the murder of Harrison Marcum, the crime having been committed in 1887. He was captured at Mulberry Gap, Tenn., in Hancock county.

Crushed by a Tree.

BIG CREEK, Ky., Sept. 26.—Peter Hamden a poor laborer residing 15 miles from here on Goose creek, while pulling fodder, in company with his wife, had a dead tree to fall on him, crushing his head.

Charged With Murder.

BEATTYVILLE, Ky., Sept. 26.—Chas. Dunnagan was arrested and lodged in jail here charged with the murder of Larkin Maus in June, 1895. Since the killing Dunnagan has been a fugitive from justice.

Todd Renominated for Mayor.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 26.—George D. Todd was renominated for mayor Friday afternoon by the Republican A. P. A. convention. Mr. Todd is the present incumbent.

Cynthia's Grocer Assigns.

CYNTHIANA, Ky., Sept. 26.—P. C. Ammerman, grocery man, assigned Friday morning to M. C. Swinford. Assets and liabilities not yet ascertained.

New Kentucky Post Office.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—A post office has been established at Long Branch, Meade county, Ky.

TRADE REVIEW.

A Distinct Improvement in the Buying of Material.

The Price of Wheat Closed 5 1-8 Cents Higher for the Week.

Speculative Buying of Wool Does Not Abate, But No Gain in Prices Result—Tin Plates Are Slightly Lowered—Failures in the United States.

NEW YORK, Sept. 26.—R. G. Dun & Co. says Saturday:

A very moderate and yet distinct improvement is seen in the buying of materials, which stiffens prices also in orders for products of some industries in money markets and in exports of staples. It has started some improvement works and prompted a few considerable contracts. While the gain in working force is not great it seems clear that for the first time in many months there is some net gain.

An important change is the general advance in produce markets, especially in wheat, which rose sharply on Thursday and Friday, closing 5 1-8 higher for the week. Reports of crops abroad were supposed to be the chief cause, as visible supplies in this country increased largely, but for the first time since July 1 western receipts fell below those of the same week last year. Atlantic exports, flour included, were for the week a little more than a year ago, for September 2,000,000 more and 21,807,553 bushels since July 1, against 14,193,309 last year. If there should come an unusual foreign demand it would make a great difference with future business.

Cotton advanced an eighth a week ago, but lost three-sixteenths and with full receipts might have gone farther but for resumption of work by several important mills. Much less than the full capacity of mills is working and the demand for goods has been quite slack, with a decline of a sixteenth in print cloths, but in other goods recently advances are maintained. Speculative buying of wool does not abate, sales for four weeks having been 24,844,400 pounds against 23,758,970 last year, but no gain in prices resulted. A few of the woolen mills are resuming the belated demand for heavy goods constituting most of the gain visible, but manufacturers show confidence that more goods will be wanted when the future is more clear.

Finished products of iron meet more inquiry and the placing of contracts for 15,000 tons of steel for three new battleships, for one large building here and for several bridges, explain the starting of two or three works, but after such months as have passed a little business is a gain. A sharp fall of 22 per ton in low phosphorus pig and slight rise in grey forge at Pittsburgh and in steel plates are the only changes noted in prices.

Tin plates are slightly lowered by home consumption to \$3.55 against \$3.90 for foreign and tin is a shade weaker at 13 cents, copper at 10.75 and lead at 2.80 cents. There is no change in the boot and shoe manufacture. Failures for the week have been 315 in the United States, against 216 last year and 39 in Canada against 50 last year.

PERMISSION GRANTED.

To the Japanese-American Line of Steamers to Dock Vessels at the Puget Sound Dock Yard.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—The navy department has granted permission to the new Japanese-American line to dock the steamer Yamaguchi Maru at the Puget Sound dock yard at Port Orchard, Wash., on October 3. This is one of the fast ships of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha I, the great Japanese maritime corporation which recently established a trans-Pacific line connecting at Seattle with the Great Northern railway to compete with the Canadian Pacific railway and steamship. Hitherto all vessels of the size of this Japanese ship have been docked on the American coast only at Esquimaux, B. C., which is the British naval station, and the only yard having sufficient docking capacity. The Puget sound dock, which was not finally accepted by the government until this week, was intended wholly for naval purposes, but the navy department has ruled on the application of the Japanese company that the use of the dock in emergencies will be permitted, provided there is no expense to the United States.

Indianapolis Wins the Second Game.
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 26.—The second game of Free Press cup series, was an exciting combat for the first six innings. Then the last year's champions forged to the front and the game was thereafter one sided, but each team piled up errors in such rapid succession that it was apparently anybody's victory until the last man was out. The score was Indianapolis 17, Minneapolis 9.

Louis Gimm Lowers the Record.
CHICAGO, Sept. 26.—Louis Gimm, of Cleveland, lowered the American professional bicycle record for twenty-four hours (paced) which he held and won a purse of \$400 at the Coliseum Friday night. The 24 hours expired at 9 o'clock, but Gimm was an easy winner at 8:30. He covered 486 miles, 1,151 yards in 23 hours and 36 minutes.

Wm. J. Bryan in Kentucky.
BOWLING GREEN, Ky., Sept. 26.—It is promised that Hon. W. J. Bryan will come to Bowling Green, October 6, if \$200 is raised to pay for a special train from Nashville to Louisville, stops will be made at Franklin, Horse Cave, Elizabethtown and other points and the silver-democrats are canvassing these towns for subscriptions.

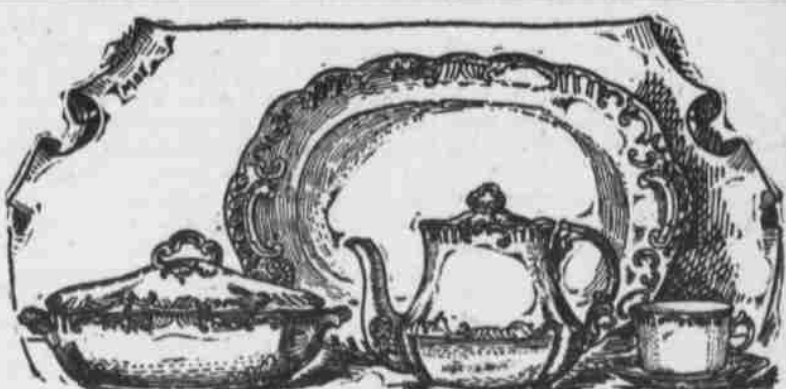
Snowstorm in South Dakota.
DRAWDOWN, S. D., Sept. 26.—The first snowstorm of the season arrived Friday. Early in the afternoon it commenced falling lightly and this evening it is snowing hard. The ground is covered. Up in the mountains there is about two inches on the ground.

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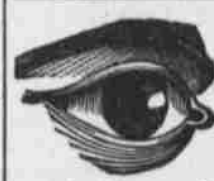


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| 1 cent Express, red, perforate..... | 5 cents |
| 1 cent Playing Cards, red, imperforate..... | 5 cents |
| 1 cent Playing Cards, red, perforate..... | 5 cents |
| 1 cent Proprietary, red, perforate..... | 5 cents |
| 1 cent Telegraph, red, perforate..... | 5 cents |
| 2 cent Bank Check, blue, part perforate..... | 5 cents |
| 2 cent Certificate, blue, imperforate..... | 5 cents |
| 2 cent Certificate, blue, full perforate..... | 10 cents |
| 2 cent Certificate, orange, full perforate..... | 10 cents |
| 2 cent Express, blue, imperforate..... | 5 cents |
| 2 cent Express, blue, full perforate..... | 10 cents |
| 2 cent Playing Cards, blue, imperforate..... | 5 cents |
| 2 cent Proprietary, blue, imperforate..... | 5 cents |
| 2 cent Proprietary, blue, full perforate..... | 10 cents |
| 2 cent Proprietary, orange, full perforate..... | 10 cents |
| 3 cent Playing Cards, green, full perforate..... | 10 cents |
| 3 cent Telegraph, green, imperforate..... | 10 cents |
| 4 cent Playing Cards, violet, perforate..... | 10 cents |
| 5 cent Proprietary, violet, part perforate..... | 10 cents |
| 5 cent Express, red, imperforate..... | 10 cents |
| 5 cent Playing Cards, red, perforate..... | 10 cents |
| 5 cent Proprietary, perforate..... | 10 cents |
| 5 cent Proprietary, orange, perforate..... | 10 cents |
| 10 cent Bill of Lading, blue, imperforate..... | 10 cents |
| 10 cent Bill of Lading, blue, part perforate..... | 10 cents |
| 25 cent Bond, imperforate..... | 50 cents |
| 40 cent Inland Exchange, imperforate..... | 75 cents |
| 50 cent Probate of Will, imperforate..... | \$1 |
| 70 cent Foreign Exchange, green, imperforate..... | \$1 |
| \$1 Life Insurance, imperforate..... | \$1 25 |
| \$1 Manifest, imperforate..... | \$1 25 |
| \$1 Mortgage, full perforate..... | \$1 25 |
| \$1 Passage Ticket, imperforate..... | \$1 50 |
| \$1 50 Foreign Exchange, orange, imperforate..... | \$1 50 |
| \$1 50 Foreign Exchange, maroon..... | \$1 50 |
| \$3 50 Inland Exchange, imperforate..... | \$3 50 |
| \$5 Probate of Will, imperforate..... | \$7 50 |
| \$50 Probate of Will, imperforate..... | \$50 |
| \$1 50 Blue and Black..... | \$1 50 |
| \$1 50 Blue and Black..... | \$1 50 |
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| 6 cent Black and Green, proprietary..... | 15 cents |
| 10 cent Black and Green, proprietary..... | \$1 50 |
| 10 cent Black and Green, proprietary..... | \$1 50 |
| \$1 Black and Green, proprietary..... | \$1 50 |
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Mt. Olivet, Ky.

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T. L. GREEN, County Clerk.